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NOTICE OF APPEAL PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.191

Applicants hereby file a Notice of Appeal in view of the August 25, 2003 Office Action, and further in view of the December 30, 2003 Advisory Action finally rejecting claims 1-3, and 5 of the above-referenced patent application.

A Supplemental Response, petition for a three-month extension of time, and all corresponding fees accompany this Notice. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 19705-010.

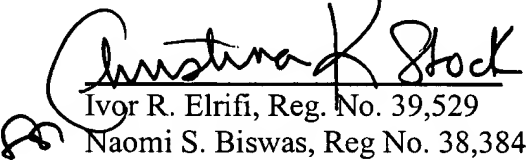
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